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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

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Re: Application of Joachim MORGENSTERN
METHOD FOR CREATING A DATA PROCESSING PROGRAM
Assignee: SIEMENS AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT
Our Ref. Q80666

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising twelve (12) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, and one (1) sheet of drawings. **Copies of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.**

The present application is being filed as a Continuation Application, under 35 U.S.C. § 111 (a) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.53, of International Application PCT/DE02/03944, filed October 18, 2002, in accordance with the procedures outlined in Sections 1895 et seq. of the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure. To facilitate the Examiner's review, Applicants are submitting herewith a copy of the Cover Page of the published International Application and a copy of Applicants' PCT Request.

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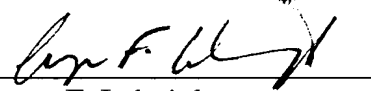
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The priority document is enclosed herewith.

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